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SUBJECT: SMITHSONIAN/SFCP -PROPOSED VISIT OF PROFESSOR J.

FRITS STAAL

ATTN: SCIENCE ATTACHE: CULTURAL ATTACHE

1. SFCP HAS APPROVED PROPOSAL OF PROFESSOR J. FRITS STAAL, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY, TO CONDUCT, RECORD AND FILM LAST PERFORMANCE OF AN AGNICAYANA RITUAL IN INDIA DURING SPRING OF 1975. HE HAS BEEN NOTIFIED BY CONSULATE GENERAL OF INDIA SAN FRANCISCO THAT HIS PROJECT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING.

2. SMI SPONSORING PRELIMINARY VISIT TO INDIA OF PROFESSOR

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3. IF NO OBJECTION ETA AND FISCAL DATA FOLLOW. INGERSOLL

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